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EXECUTIVE TRAINING PROGRAM

MISSOULA--

Women who are college graduates or who are seniors at the University of Montana in Missoula may apply for the Executive Training Program conducted by the U.S. Department of Defense, Dr. Don Hjelmseth (pronounced Helmseth), director of the UM Career Planning and Placement Services, has announced.

Those accepted for the program must receive their degrees by July 1974, the month scheduled for start of the current program.

Program information was obtained by Hjelmseth from an article appearing in a December issue of "Women Today," a biweekly publication of the Today Publications and News Service, National Press Building, Washington, D.C. The article quotes Jean A. Wells of the Women's Bureau, U.S. Department of Labor.

Commenting on the training program, Hjelmseth said, "Each year, the Office of the Secretary of Defense appoints a small number of college graduates as a supplementary source of professional talent and executive potential. These appointees participate in the Executive Trainee Program, which is unique among management intern programs offered by many federal agencies."

Hjelmseth said the program is designed "to give the trainee the utmost flexibility" in the choice of the selectee's rotational work assignments and exposure to decision-making processes.

Additional information may be obtained from the Recruitment Coordinator, Directorate of Personnel, OASD(C), Office of the Secretary of Defense, Room 3B-321, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. 20301.